

Student Material List

Instructor: Dawning McGinnis

Class: Beginning Acrylics

Required Materials

Quantity	Item Name & Description	Recommended brand or notes from instructor
1	Pad of Canvas Sheets	18"x24"
2 (or more)	Stretched Canvas or other Support	16"x20" (approx.) Must be primed (gessoed)
1	Palette	Paper (a pad of wax paper like sheets, bound like drawing paper), plastic, metal, wood or glass
1	Tape	¾" roll of Masking Tape or Blue Painters Tape
1	Set of Watercolor Pencils	Get a cheap set with just the basic colors
1	Plastic Wrap	To cover paint for storage
1	Metal palette knife	Do not get plastic, they break easy
3+ (at least one of every type listed)	Flat or Bright #12 Filbert #6 Round #2 Optional: Filbert #2 (small) and Round #8 (medium)	Natural fiber or synthetic (do not get watercolor brushes)
1	Cadmium Yellow Light	
1	Yellow Ochre	
1	Cadmium Red Medium	
1	Cobalt Blue	
1	Cerulean Blue	
1	Ivory Black	
1	Titanium White	May need two tubes

Other Notes from the instructor:

Paints: Many brands carry "student grade" paints which will be much less expensive than studio quality. You do not need to buy all colors in the same brand. Store brand paints from places like Blick brand are very affordable. Shop for economy, but do not get "Liquid" brand acrylics. Buy paint in the same kind of tubes that look like oil paints.

Supports: A "support" is the thing you paint on. Supports can be canvas, paper, wood etc. All supports must be primed with gesso. Many supports come pre-primed.